



## News From The Upper Yough Region.

### CONFLUENCE.

Interesting Items From Somerset County's Hustling Town.

Confluence, May 26.—Henry Kuriz, and old and respected citizen of our town, died very suddenly last evening from acute dilation of the stomach. Mr. Kuriz had been ailing for some time and had gone to Atlantic City, where he resided for about a year for his health. His improvement seemed to be slow and he returned to his old home this spring and nursed himself under the care of Dr. Bowman. He appeared to be improving so much that he was looking after the repair of some of his property and decided to go to Confluence, Wednesday, along with his wife to do some shopping. They came home on No. 16 and Mr. Kuriz went home. While in his yard he took a fatal spell. His physician was immediately called and it was found he was suffering from intense prostration. He died about 6.45 P. M.

Henry Kuriz was the father of municipal improvement and progress in Confluence. He laid the first water lines in the town, built the first electric light plant and was always foremost in plan and action when the best interests of the pretty little town were at stake. In the face of strong opposition he prospered, in his own quiet way, always generous to a fault and a friend who never failed in the time of need.

He was a son of nature, and his happiest days were spent along the trout streams of his native mountains. He was known far and wide as the most skilled fisherman in the Confluence region, where fishing is the pastime of both old and young. In the springtime, when more amateurish nitroloids were unsuccessful, the older ones would shake their heads wisely and say, "Wait till Henry Kuriz goes. Then the trout will start to come in."

Since his health improved recently he was much interested in the improvements about his pretty new home. He personally supervised the work of the carpenters and masons and seemed happy in his new-found activity. His venerable presence and kindly smile will be missed by his many friends here. His memory will tell of a long and useful life, a life well spent and full of hopefulness to others.

Assessor T. K. Thrasher reports the registry list completed and a copy of same is now at the Council room for the voters' privilege of inspection. There are 267 children between the age of six and 18 registered for enrollment in compliance with the compulsory attendance law. Only two deaths are recorded and 12 births since the assessment last year.

Ed. Laurence, a first-class bread, pie and cake baker from Pittsburgh, has accepted a position at Mother Pancon's bakery.

Thrasher & Frantz report business in their pool room and bowling alley good.

Charles Holt and sister, Ida, called on their sister, Mrs. Charles Stark, recently. They brought their friends with them, Miss Lena McCartney and Mrs. Charles Collins.

M. T. Holt made a flying visit here on account of some business.

Mrs. B. F. Brown, who has been on the sick list for some time, is some better.

The base ball team has collected enough money to have the diamond of their grounds secured. It will be done this afternoon by putting the road scraper on it. The team will play a practice game Friday afternoon, then comes the big game at Addison next Monday.

C. W. Hall left today for a two weeks' trip through West Virginia. He expects to attend the commencement exercises at Western College, Buckhannon, from which school he is a graduate, and on his way back he will visit relatives and friends at Clarksburg, Fairmont, Morgantown and Cheat Haven. He will also serve a term on the jury at Uniontown before returning home.

Mrs. John Bimor and family of Rockwood arrived on train No. 13 today and are visiting friends here.

Grant Pyle has all the work in his line he can do and he can be heard before he can be seen around the corner.

Quite a number of our people went to the ferry Church to prepare the grounds and clean them for the decoration of all the graves next Monday.

James Strouthers came overland from Ohio to Confluence. He will take his daughter, Viva, home with him. She has been visiting here for some time.

Alfred Ringer is putting down a stone walk in front of his house on Williams street. When completed it will add greatly to its appearance.

Justice of the Peace DeCourse is removing some furniture from the Globe Hotel which he bought from Mrs. Criss when they moved to Casselman.

The E. & O. has quite a force of men working night and day removing the many land slides from the track near Markle Hill.

Ross Hyatt of Sugar Loaf visited our town today, meeting old friends and doing some business with the merchants.

John Hyatt's team is hauling coal from his bank for the electric light plant.

Harry Stairs was in town today exchanging country produce for groceries and other things needed in the family.

The trees in the park, which were trimmed a few days ago, are presenting a beautiful appearance after the late rains and are growing nicely.

### HUMBERTSON.

Items From That Thriving Mining Town.

Humbertson, May 26.—Isaac Thomas and J. H. Humbertson returned home from Uniontown today.

J. C. B. Schrine of North Dakota, passed up the pike today the first time since 1881 when he passed here with his grandmother, who was then 75 years old and he was 12.

John Humbertson finished planting his corn today.

William Pike has hauled the first load of new hay up the pike this year.

Jerry Graham of Monessen has returned to his work. He is driving a team for J. H. Humbertson.

Edward Howlin is working in his father's store, J. S. Bowlin, whose health is very poor.

John Franz, our tax collector, went to Markleysburg today.

D. J. Switzer of Markleysburg passed down on his way to Somerset.

J. H. Humbertson received a large shipment of tobacco yesterday.

G. A. Shaw is cutting down two large trees in the rear of his residence.

Miss Louise Humbertson was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hattie Humbertson, last night.

There is some talk of there being no Dunkard meeting this year as there is some disagreement among the members.

G. W. and M. G. Umbel are receiving large shipments of store goods. They have as large a store as there is in this part of the county.

J. C. Spurgin is kept busy sawing lumber.

John T. Humbertson's cow is missing.

During our last wet spell when it was too wet to work on the farm the farmers put in their time throwing mud in the road so now since it has dried it is so rough that it is difficult to drive over.

Road The Courier for all the home news.

The first automobile of the season went down the pike today.

There was quite a thunder storm passed over town this evening with very little rain.

Read The Daily Courier.

Marshal Frazee, Joseph Welch and Joseph Humbertson finished planting corn today.

There are prospects of a large crop of apples in our district this year.

### OHIOPILE.

Notes from the Little Mountain Resort Up the Yough.

Ohiopile, May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis spent Sunday as the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. George Daniels, at Maple Summit.

H. T. Holt left yesterday for Uniontown on business.

Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson left yesterday for Uniontown, where Mrs. Johnson expects to spend several days as the guest of friends.

Mr. Johnson returned home on train No. 16 last evening.

Train No. 16 failed to arrive on time last evening. This is something which seldom happens.

M. Williams, manager of the Ohiopile Lumber Company of this place, left for Uniontown yesterday to attend to some business interests at that place.

Carl Taylor, driver for J. M. Holt & Sons, came in Tuesday with a four horse load of lumber, containing 1,900 feet. How is that for a record breaker?

Park McMahon was a business caller in town yesterday.

A severe rain and electric storm came up Wednesday evening shortly after 7 o'clock and for several hours the elements of the air waged their conflict. The storm had been brewing for several hours before it burst forth in all its fury, which caused pedestrians to flee for shelter. While the storm raged many people were ill at ease with nothing to quiet their fears. Those persons were the ones who failed to buy The Daily Courier last evening. Those who bought The Daily Courier had plenty to keep their fears allayed. So you see it is a wise thing to have a Daily Courier fresh from the press every evening.

H. C. Johnson and D. P. Collins were Confluence business visitors yesterday. They arrived home on train No. 16 last evening.

William Globefly received a large consignment of goods yesterday.

The Humbert Corn Huskers are scheduled to play the Ohiopile Pumpkin Rollers at this place Decoration Day. Quite an exciting game is looked for.

Smith Oradoff of Confluence spent yesterday with us. He was showing the Pumpkin Rollers how to play ball.

David Whippley of Homestead and James Solismon of Confluence were the guests Wednesday of their uncle, Sylvester Bryner, of this place.

Mrs. M. J. McFarland of Bigam, Pa., is spending a few days with relatives at this place.

Clarence McFarland, who has been visiting friends and relatives at Vandeventer and Dunbar for several weeks, returned to his home at this place Wednesday.

Miss Grace Bryner is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lewis Harbaugh, of Kent, for a few days.

Read The Daily Courier.

A large number of Ohiopile citizens witnessed the baptizing which took place at Bidwell on Sunday morning. Thirteen persons were immersed. Over 300 persons from nearby towns were present making the largest crowd ever assembled at Bidwell in one day in the history of the town. Bidwell is five miles east of this place and is owned chiefly by the Ohiopile Lumber Company, who own and operate a mill there, also a general store. It is a splendidly located district. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burdworth, Mr. and Mrs. John Woodmancy and M. Williams were among those who spent Sunday there.

Smithton.

Smithton, May 26.—There will be a festival given by the ladies of the G. A. R. in the Smithton Opera House on May 30 at 8 P. M. Admission free. All are invited.

Thomas Parkins of Smithton, late of Castle Shannon, was brought here for interment at Huffman Cemetery. He was 67 years old and leaves a wife and three daughters and one son; also a host of friends to mourn his loss.

Ransom, Baird and Mrs. William Whippley and son and daughter, were visiting one day last week at William Hepler's, Wick Haven.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From All Parts of the Town.

John Gutter of N. Pittsburg street, was transacting business in Pittsburg Wednesday.

D. L. Bellamy, special agent for the Hammond typewriter, located in Pittsburg, was transacting business in Confluence Wednesday.

Come out to sale, May 28, 29 and 31. Mrs. Joseph McCullough of Scottdale, was shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

The Misses Lida and Stella Oglevee of Vandeventer, were shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

Mrs. S. E. Froek of Uniontown was the guest of friends in Confluence today.

Don't forget the lecture at the Methodist Protestant Church tonight.

George Burkett, manager of the clothing department of Wright-Metzler & Co., has moved his family from Erie, Pa., to Confluence.

Mrs. John Vohs of Pittsburg is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. D. Woods, of Fairview avenue.

Miss Edna Smith of Dawson was shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

Mrs. Edward Rutherford of Scottdale was shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Menden of Vandeventer, were calling on friends in Confluence Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Wright and daughter of Dawson were shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Enos of Pennsylvania were calling on friends in Confluence Wednesday.

Miss Edna Rutherford of Vandeventer was the guest of friends in Confluence Wednesday evening.

Miss Mabel Golden of Dunbar was shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

East End Gardens, May 28, 29 and 31. Get a beautiful garden.

Mrs. George Porter of Porter avenue, was in Pittsburg Wednesday where she will visit relatives for several days.

Mrs. Charles Decker of Homestead was shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Smith of Pittsburg, Pa., and Mrs. Jack Troy of Uniontown, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Trench of North Pittsburg street Wednesday.

Miss Lida Smith of Dunbar was shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

Max Trench of the North Pittsburg street, was transacting business in Confluence Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Trench of Uniontown were shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

Miss Mary Newman of Dawson was shopping in Confluence Wednesday.

Mrs. M. S. Menden of Vandeventer, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. P. Woods of Scottdale, returned to the latter's home on train No. 16.

Mrs. Robert Armstrong and his son of Addison were calling on friends in Confluence Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bore and little son of Uniontown were the guests of friends in Confluence Thursday.

Mrs. Lida Galt of Main street, was in Pittsburg Thursday where she will visit relatives for several days.

Mrs. Randolph Kozick and Mrs. Charles Mancy of Uniontown were calling on friends in Confluence Thursday.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, gave a Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. W. Palmer of South Pittsburg street. At the close of the business meeting luncheon was served by the committee.

World's Fair Service.

Via P. & L. B. railroad. Through train service, commencing Monday, May 16, will be established, leaving Pittsburg at 1.50 P. M., city time, arriving at Union station, St. Louis, via Big Four Route, at 7.30 following morning. The return service leaves St. Louis, Union Station, Big Four Route, at 12 noon, due at Pittsburg at 6.35 next morning.

The famous "Loupurex Limited" will go into service June 5. For rates, sleeping car reservations, etc., see nearest ticket agent, or write L. A. Robinson, General Passenger Agent, Pittsburg, Pa.

WILL HAVE TO HURRY.

Delay Means Loss of Money to J. C. Moore's Patrons.

The readers of the Courier who want to get a fifty cent package of Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half price (25 cents), will have to hurry.

After a great deal of correspondence, J. C. Moore succeeded in getting the Dr. Howard Co. to make this special price so that his customers could obtain sixty doses of the most remarkable medicine ever discovered for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at just half price, 25 cents. It is the regular size, the same that has been sold in such quantities in the large cities for years at 50 cents.

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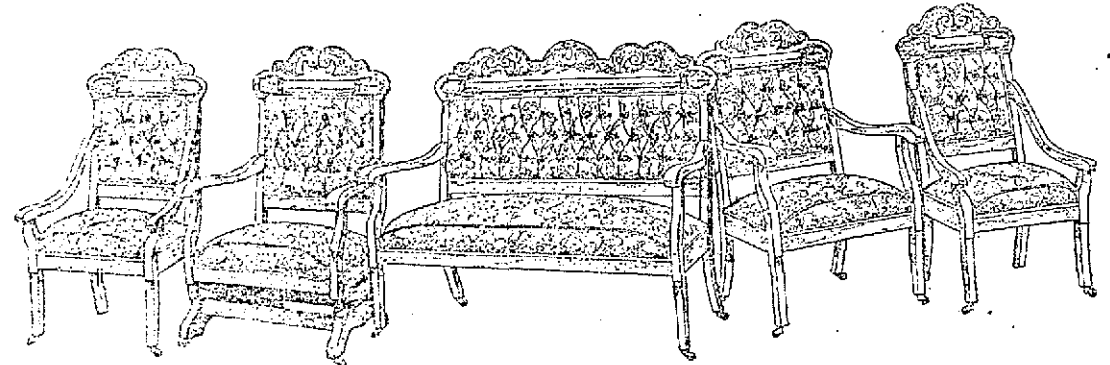
Pre-eminently a Furniture Store of just this sort is the Rosenblum Furniture Co.

We don't pretend to handle fancy or elaborate furniture exclusively. We have furniture for the man of small means, furniture for those in a more independent state, and furniture fine enough to grace the best home in Confluence. We guarantee the quality of every kind of furniture we carry—it must be good and dependable or it never comes inside this store. And with all this we couple the great factor—Low prices. We always offer savings—not catch-penny bargains—but good material savings right through every department of our large furniture house. Large Spring stocks are now here.

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Look our stock over—you'll see its merits at a glance. We're doing a "humming" business this Spring—there's a reason.

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| Acute Ingrain Carpets, fast colors, extra heavy, per yard..... 35c | Tapestry Brussels, all wool faced, at \$1.50, \$2 and..... 65c | Velvet Carpets..... 85c   | Tapestry Rugs: 9x10, at..... \$11.50  |
| Extra heavy double warp Ingrain..... 45c                           | Body Brussels at \$1.50 and..... \$1.25                        | Acminster Carpets with borders to match at \$1.50 to..... \$1.10  | 9x12, at..... \$16.50   |
| Extra C. C. worsted Ingrain at \$1.50 and..... 55c                 | Wilton Velvet Carpets at \$1.50 and..... \$1.10                | Reversible Smyrna Rugs 29 inches, at..... 89c   | Wilton Rugs 9x12 at..... \$35.00  |
| Heavy all wool..... 65c  | Wilton Velvet Carpets at \$1.50 and..... \$1.10                | Reversible Smyrna Rugs 16c, 18c, 20c, 22c, 24c, 26c, 28c, 30c, 32c, 34c, 36c, 38c, 40c, 42c, 44c, 46c, 48c, 50c, 52c, 54c, 56c, 58c, 60c, 62c, 64c, 66c, 68c, 70c, 72c, 74c, 76c, 78c, 80c, 82c, 84c, 86c, 88c, 90c, 92c, 94c, 96c, 98c, 100c..... \$1.75 | Handsome Matting at 25c..... 12c  |
| Pile Carpet..... 45c   | Wilton Velvet Carpets at \$1.50 and..... \$1.10                | Velvet Rugs 27 inches by 72 inches..... \$2.25  | Fine Oil Cloths and Linoleums, including the matchless linoleum, at prices not to be beaten anywhere. |

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## DOCTRINE VS. UNION.

**Presbyterian Giants Engage Each Other on Absorbing Question.**

## GREAT DEBATE IN ASSEMBLY

**President Patton of Princeton Opposes and President Moffatt of W. and J. Discuss Question of Doctrinal Differences With Southern Brethren.**

Buffalo, May 27.—Last night's session of the Presbyterian assembly closed amid great excitement and with the question of union with the Cumberland branch still unsettled. When the moderator declared the session adjourned a storm of cheering and confusion reigned in all parts of the house.

A resolution offered by the Rev. John F. Carson of Brooklyn fixing the time for taking the vote on the question precipitated the crisis. Points of order, questions of privilege and amendments came from a score of commissioners at the same time. When a semblance of order was restored the resolution was finally passed. It fixes the time for a vote at 11:30 today and limits the remaining addresses to ten minutes each.

Dr. Francis L. Patton, president of Princeton theological seminary, spoke in opposition to the union, calling special attention to the distinctive points of difference between the Presbyterian and the Cumberland churches. The doctrine of the Cumberland church is distinctly Arminian, and does not, he said, contain the doctrine of election, of irresistible grace, of several other well recognized Calvinistic doctrines.

"The Cumberland church still holds to its own doctrines," Dr. Patton continued. "We have every reason to know they are not Calvinistic. They believe we have changed our confession. We have simply removed certain infidelities of expression. We have not changed. I want to know how you are going to unite Calvinism and Arminianism."

Dr. James D. Moffatt, president of Washington and Jefferson college, the leader of the union party, followed Dr. Patton. He read selections from the Cumberland confession, pointing out the similarity it bore to the Westminster confession as revised in 1903, and said that it was too narrow a view to take to urge the rejection of the Cumberland church on doctrinal points, where it takes a Princeton theological seminary president to point them out and he fails to do so.

Dr. J. Ross Stevenson read a telegram from the Rev. W. P. Bohm from Dallas, inquiring whether the Presbyterian church has eliminated doctrinal points of unconditional election and irresistible grace from the Westminster confession and if a constitutional majority would approve of this interpretation. His reply, which he read, was that the revision of the convention left the Calvinistic system, including the doctrines mentioned, intact.

## WITHERSPOON MODERATOR.

**Condition of United Presbyterian Church Shown by Reports.**

Greenville, Pa., May 27.—Dr. J. W. Witherspoon of the Allegheny, Pa. presbytery, has been elected moderator of the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church, in session here.

The committee on narrative reported as follows: Membership, 128,145; new Sunday schools 53; increase Sunday school contributions \$12,553; average minister's salary, \$1,113; total contributions for all purposes, \$1,967,444; increase, \$100,000.

There is a decrease of 900 in the membership of the Young People's society. A decline in family worship is reported.

In response to inquiries, presbyteries have reported a strong belief in the inspiration of the Bible as the word of God. Only a few presbyteries mentioned psalmody or opposition to secret societies.

## RUPTURE IS ABSOLUTE.

**Papal Nuncio Absents Himself From French Diplomatic Function.**

Paris, May 27.—The absence of Mgr. Lorenzelli, the papal nuncio, from the foreign office on the regular diplomatic day was construed by his colleagues as being evidence of the interruption of diplomatic relations between the Holy See and France. As dean of the diplomatic corps Mgr. Lorenzelli has invariably headed the visitors.

Foreign Minister Delcasse informed the ambassadors that M. Nisard's recall as ambassador to the Vatican was absolute and unqualified.

According to reliable information the Vatican authorities have instructed Monsignor Lorenzelli, the nuncio at Paris, to leave Paris if he is able to foresee that it is the intention of the government to give him his passports.

## MAY HAVE BEEN MURDERED.

**Body of Atlanta Working Girl Found in Water Reservoir.**

Atlanta, Ga., May 27.—The body of Miss Sophie Kloeckler was found in the water works pond at Lakewood, a suburb of Atlanta. She left home Tuesday morning, presumably to go to her work.

There are indications of suicide but a rumor is in circulation that she was soon Tuesday with a man not far from the place where the body was found. Members of her family say there is no reason why she should have killed herself.

Wounded Guard Is Dead. Columbus, O., May 27.—Henry Gehart the guard who was shot at the penitentiary by Frank Green, a convict who afterward killed himself, is dead from his injuries. His body will be taken to Ironton for burial. The convict's body will be turned over to a medical college.

## DUNBAR.

**Events of the Day in the Busy Furnace Town.**

Dunbar, May 27.—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilhelm Zerkler on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock was celebrated the marriage of Miss Eva Maude Grant of Sydney, Cape Breton Nova Scotia, and Warner Gibson Taylor of Stanhope, N. J. The officiating clergyman was Rev. James B. Hill, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. Miss Grant is of an old Nova Scotia family and Mr. Taylor is a descendant of one of the famous old families of Virginia. His mother was one of the bolles of the old régime on the James river. She was a Harrison, of a family line collateral with that of Ex-President William Henry Harrison.

The bride was daintily gowned in white organdy. The wedding was a quiet affair owing to recent bereavement in both families, only a few guests being present. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will reside in Stanhope, N. J. where Mr. Taylor is connected with the Musco Net Cong Iron Works.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bachman and two children were poisoned on Wednesday by eating canned salmon. The family live at Merrill and when their attending physician, Dr. D. T. McKenney, went down to see them on Wednesday he found them all in a very serious condition. They were much better Thursday morning and the doctor thinks they will all recover. They had all eaten of the canned salmon for supper and they at once became very sick. The can had been partly opened for a few days and the family think that the salmon standing open had become poisoned.

David Grier lost a valuable cow on Wednesday.

M. Mangold of Pittsburgh is here painting the interior of the St. Alexander Church.

M. Crowley, a R. & O. lineman, was here Wednesday looking after the condition of the wires at this place.

A. C. Flusinger was transacting business in Connellsville a few hours yesterday morning.

Now porches have been erected to the houses along Wishart row on Connellsville street.

O. R. Carpenter of Connellsville was up yesterday on business.

R. T. Pratt, a representative of the Car Service Association of Pittsburgh, was in town yesterday morning.

A prominent citizen of Connellsville came up the other evening and got on a spree. He was taken in by the local officers, and discharged upon the payment of a fine.

Mrs. R. D. Jones is visiting at the home of her parents in Millwood, Pa. Prof. J. S. Carroll is having a new fence erected around his lot that will add greatly to the appearance of his property.

"Mick" Sokolka was in Connellsville, Thursday, on a business mission. The Borough Council held a special meeting on Wednesday evening to discuss the moving of some telephone poles that interfere with the street railway company running through their passing siding here. Final action will likely be taken at the next regular meeting. There are many places that should have the attention of Council, as many streets are partly blocked with large piles of dirt and stone. The removal of the same would add to the appearance of the town and the safety of the people as well.

The following names appeared on the register at the Central Hotel here yesterday: Eland Cartwright, Greenburg; W. O. Waring, Ashland, O.; L. E. Elston, E. Leitolf, P. Grass, Robert Mauro and W. H. Caff, all of Pittsburgh; and W. G. Taylor of Stanhope, N. J.

Rev. D. E. Miner will deliver a sermon in the Union church at Mt. Braddock, Decoration Day, at 9:59 A. M. After the sermon they will form ranks and march to Percy, where they will decorate the graves. They will go from the cemetery to the Percy church, where Rev. E. J. Wilson will deliver a sermon. The procession will be headed by the Percy brass band.

Read The Daily Courier.

Cards and Dancing.

Miss Daisy May entertained very pleasantly a number of her friends at her home on South Pittsburgh street Thursday evening. Cards and dancing were the amusements until a late hour when a luncheon was served. A very enjoyable evening was spent by those present. There were about 30 guests present.

After the Pig Pens.

The New Haven Board of Health met Thursday evening at 8 o'clock and the regular routine of business was carried out. The Board ordered Secretary Alex. Hart to abate all nuisances arising from pig pens.

To the Old South.

Via Seaboard Air Line railway through Richmond, Raleigh and the "Heart of the Old South." Round trip from Washington, \$17.75. Tickets on sale May 21, 22 and 23. Return limit can be extended to June 30, 1904. Address Seaboard agents at Washington, Baltimore or W. B. Conklyn, general agent, 1411 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

REduced RATES TO UNIONTOWN

Via P. R. R. Account the Prohibition State Convention.

For the accommodation of those desiring to attend the Prohibition State Convention, to be held at Uniontown, Pa., June 7 to 9, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will send round trip tickets to Uniontown, June 6 and 7, good to return until June 10, inclusive, from all stations on the line in the State of Pennsylvania at rate of single fare for the round trip; minimum rate, 25 cents.

THE FAIR.

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Skirts made of fine Voiles, beautiful, value \$10.00, this sale \$6.98

Skirts made of good quality, value \$8.00, this sale \$4.98

Skirts, value \$2.00, this sale \$1.79

Skirts made of Enameled and fine material, value \$6.00, this sale \$3.98

Skirts made of good quality, value \$8.00, this sale \$4.98

Walking Skirts, good materials, at this sale \$1.79

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